

Graphic Designer

Status: Part-time contract; 20 hours a week, through June 30 2022

Working Days: Flexible, except for 2-4 hours a week early Sunday mornings

About The Meeting House

We feel God is calling us into a new vision: *Introducing spiritually curious people to the Jesus-centred life through a movement of Jesus-centred churches*. What does that mean? Through our Meeting House parishes and expressions across Southern Ontario and the Jesus Collective network, our desire is to honour God by proclaiming the irreligious message of Jesus and fostering loving communities of fully committed Christ-followers in a way that makes sense for that local context. We are all about Jesus first, which we believe results in our values of peace, simplicity, community, and mission. We are reimagining what it would look like to be a church that is fully activated for mission and engaging the spiritually curious around us. We are committed to evangelism and kingdom growth within our existing footprint and uniting with other Jesus-centred churches to amplify our Kingdom impact beyond our footprint in ways we have not imagined before. We need people who share excitement about this spirit-led vision and want to contribute their gifts, skills, expertise, and heart to this transformation! Check out our website for more details:

www.themeetinghouse.com

Role

We are looking for an intermediate level Graphic Designer who is able to produce high quality visual pieces across a variety of media formats to support the mission and vision of The Meeting House. Hours can be flexible, but worked within agreed upon project deadlines.

Requirements

- Fully aligned with the message, mission and ministry strategy of The Meeting House
- Maintain and model a spiritually thriving relationship with Jesus
- Spiritual maturity with a passion for reaching the spiritually curious with the message of Jesus
- Strong design, layout and conceptual skills demonstrated in an outstanding portfolio
- Proficient in Adobe Creative Suite (InDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop, etc.), Google and Microsoft Office suite
- Experience with After Effects, Premier Pro, 3D software, photography, lighting and illustration considered an asset
- Extensive experience with print and digital graphic design in a broad range of styles
- Able to work within existing brand guidelines and meet brand standards
- Knowledge of printing and publishing procedure and standards
- Strict attention to detail
- Intermediate level of skill and experience

Responsibilities

- Design, production, and implementation of graphic materials related to developing and supporting the brand of The Meeting House, including online, print collateral and large format print
- Integrate multimedia concepts with technical graphic design elements, as required
- Work closely with Brand & Strategy Manager to create support materials for a wide variety of projects and initiatives
- Work in a team environment to develop and edit design concepts
- Follow strict procedures in organizing, storing, and backing up all graphic design work
- Stay on top of all things design related, including best practices, guidelines and trends in design and art



- Other design responsibilities, as needed

Relationships

Reports to: Brand & Strategy Manager

What We Offer

You will lead and work alongside amazing people in our community who love Jesus and are learning to put into practice what it means to follow Him. You will join a staff team who genuinely care for each other, love what they do and strive to work to the best of their abilities. None of us are superstars; we just try to authentically follow Jesus together. We are a fast-paced organization and are willing to try new things and experiment if we think something else will be more effective. We often fail first before finding what works best.

Hiring Statement

We believe that the body of Christ is unified when each of us is encouraged, recognized, and able to serve out of our gifts, and that the church is at its best when church leadership represents the communities in which we serve. At The Meeting House, we want to do better. We strongly encourage women and men, and people of all ethnicities and abilities who love Jesus and are aligned with our vision and values, to consider applying for a staff role.

We strive to achieve equality in the workplace, which means no one will be denied employment opportunities or benefits for reasons unrelated to fit for a role. We also understand employment equity means more than treating individuals in the same way but requires special measures and the accommodation of differences. In this way, we are following Jesus in our hiring practices to create a diverse and inclusive workplace reflecting the body of Christ.